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Mrs. Effa Manley
55 Somerset St.
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Dear Mrs. Manley:

Enclosed is a clipping which appeared in the Star-Ledger this morning, and although I have not yet seen the afternoon newspapers I assume there is a similar one in the evening paper.

I also enclose letter from the State of Pennsylvania with reference to the workmen's compensation question. I believe it is self-explanatory.

Apparently the information you had was incorrect. Baseball players are covered and protected under the Workmen's Compensation Act of Pennsylvania.

I have also investigated the problem which you suggested might arise under the New Jersey Act. Members of the team are covered regardless of where they may be playing in any state outside of New Jersey, providing that the contract of hire took place in New Jersey. It is true that members of the team are hired in New Jersey and for that reason they are covered by your New Jersey insurance and are protected by the New Jersey Workmen's Compensation Act no matter where they may play outside of the state.

Very truly yours,

Jerome L. Kessler
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